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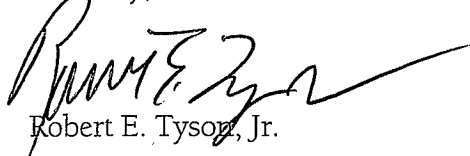
Re: South Carolina Minerals, Inc. v. Aiken Electric Cooperative, Inc. v. South  
Carolina Electric & Gas  
Docket No.: 2008-420-E  
Our File No.: 6100/1500

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing please find a proposed Order of Dismissal with consent signatures of the parties. The ORS has not signed the consent, however it is my understanding they are in agreement with the Order of Dismissal.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,



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BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2008-420-E – Order No. 2009-\_\_\_\_\_

March \_\_\_\_, 2009

**IN RE:**

South Carolina Minerals, Inc.,

Complainant,

vs.

Aiken Electric Cooperative, Inc.,

Defendant/Respondent,

vs.

South Carolina Electric & Gas,

Third-Party Defendant.

**ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

This matter is before the Commission on the motion of all parties to dismiss this action with prejudice. The parties have settled this action and as part of that settlement, the parties have agreed to dismiss all claims, pursued or could be pursued, in this litigation with prejudice. The parties agree to bear their own costs and fees.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the above and with the consent of all the parties, this matter is dismissed with prejudice.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.

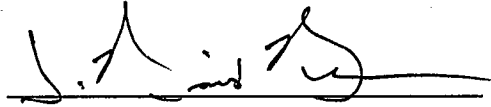
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Elizabeth B. Fleming, Chairman

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John E. Howard, Vice Chairman

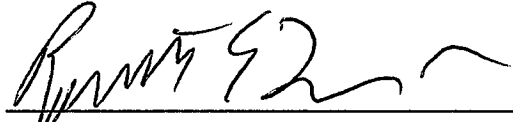
WE CONSENT:

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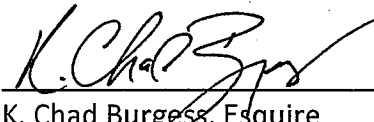
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